

January 11, 2018

Mr. David Swearingen Chief, Gas Branch 4 OEP/DG2E/Gas 4 Federal Energy Regulatory Commission 888 First Street, NE Washington, D.C. 20426

Ref: Programmatic Agreement for Atlantic Coast Pipeline and Supply Header Projects

FERC Docket Nos. CP15-554-000, CP15-554-001, CP15-555-000

Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Virginia, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Swearingen:

Enclosed is a copy of the Programmatic Agreement (PA) developed to resolve the adverse effects of the referenced undertaking in compliance with Section 106 (54 U.S.C. 306108) of the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA) (54 U.S.C. 300101et seq.) and its implementing regulations, "Protection of Historic Properties" (36 C.F.R. Part 800). The ACHP has executed the revised version of the PA conveyed to us by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) on January 10, 2017.

By carrying out the terms of the PA, FERC will have fulfilled its Section 106 compliance responsibilities for this undertaking. We recommend you provide a copy of the fully executed PA to the State Historic Preservation Officers of Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Virginia, and North Carolina, other signatories, and consulting parties for their records. The ACHP looks forward to working with FERC, the SHPOs, consulting parties, the project proponents, and other stakeholders to consider and address resolution of adverse effects to historic properties as set forth in this PA.

If you have questions or concerns as the agreement is implemented, please contact John Eddins at (202) 517-0211, or via e-mail at <a href="jeddins@achp.gov">jeddins@achp.gov</a>.

Sincerely,

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